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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to: respond to Office Action dated October 13, 2006 for

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☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated \_\_\_\_\_.

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Respectfully submitted,

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